Information

Please report trail conditions and share your experiences with park staff.

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REPORT WILDFIRES - TURN IN POACHERS

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IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL 9-1-1

Cell service is limited in the park. Satellite messaging devices are recommended.

Provincial Park Vehicle Permits must be displayed year-round. Purchase online at manitobaelicensing.ca.

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Turtle Mountain Nordic Ski Club



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Turtle Mountain Provincial Park is located on Treaty No. 2 Territory and the Homeland of the Red River Métis.



Discover Turtle Mountain Provincial Park on the trails at Adam Lake. This large network of trails will take you through quiet forests and past a myriad of lakes and potholes abound with wildlife. Shorelines of cattails provide summer nesting sites for most species of ducks. Amid a chorus of frogs, nights reverberate with the calls of grebes and loons. The ponds provide food, shelter and breeding grounds for painted turtles, salamanders, muskrat, beaver, raccoon and mink. In winter, look for signs of moose, elk and deer that make use of the groomed trails.

There are five trailheads that serve as starting points at Adam Lake. They are: the main campground, the beach, the group campsite, the equestrian campsite and the winter recreation area. Across the network there are shelters located at Mary Lake, Adam Lake, John Lake and mid-way along the Intermediate Trail. Each shelter is equipped with a wood-burning stove for you to warm up or cook lunch. Overnight use of these shelters is not permitted.

At James Lake, you can stay overnight in the cabin. It's a great place to end one day and plan for the next! The James Lake Cabin is equipped with bunks, a sleeping loft and wood stove.

The James Lake Cabin is also shared with the Oskar Lake Canoe Route. Reservations are required - contact the Boissevain District Office at 204-534-2028.

Camping is also available at the Adam Lake Campground, which has basic and serviced sites. Contact the Parks Reservation Service at 1-888-482-2267 for information or visit the Adam Lake Campground Office.

Accommodations are also available in the park with Turtle Mountain Adventure Huts. Locally designed, built and operated, these small cabins are approximately five minutes down the trail from the Adam Lake trailhead. They are off-grid and have some simple solar lights, wood stove, cooking area, eating and sleeping space. Visit adventure huts.ca for information.

The Rum Runners Trail

The Dunseith Trail was the historic trade route between Boissevain, Manitoba and Dunseith, North Dakota before PTH 10 was built. This trail was used in the 1920s and 1930s by rum runners smuggling alcohol across the Canada – U.S.A. border during the prohibition era. Today, of course, people use the official border crossing to claim their goods.

Winter Use:

• The winter trail system is divided into two lanes. One lane is for cross-country skiing, and the other is for hiking, snowshoeing and fat bikes. Please stay in the appropriate lane and never step on groomed ski tracks.

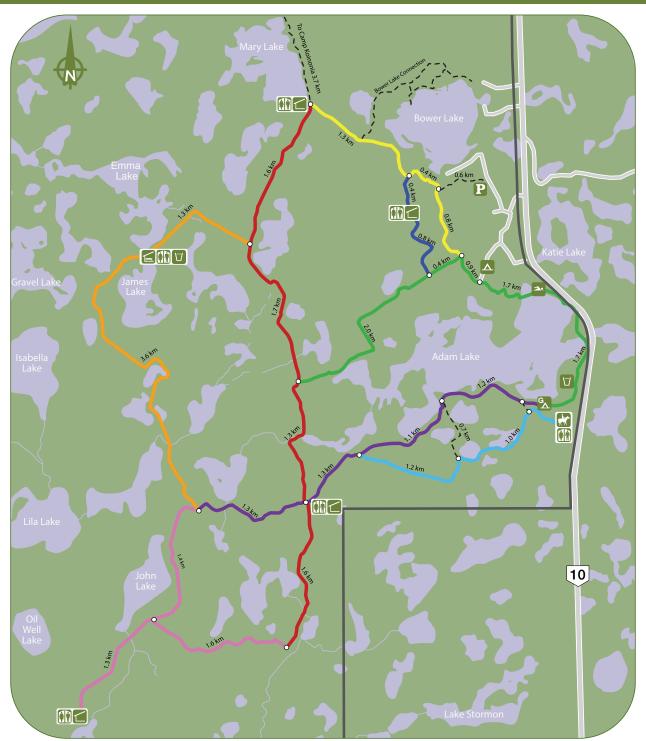
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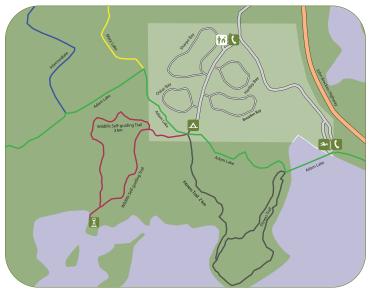
Adam Lake Trails











Legend Beach Trailhead **Dunseith Trail** Cabin Mary Lake Trail Campground Intermediate Trail Equestrian Trailhead Adam Lake Trail **Group Camping** Park Boundary Junction James Lake Trail **Lookout Tower** Vista Trail **Parking** Shoofly Trail Park Office John Lake Trail Shelter **Connector Trails** Telephone Washrooms (Non-modern) Water Supply (Non-potable)

Trail Tips & Regulations

- Be Wildlife Smart and be prepared to encounter wild animals such as coyotes and deer. Stay alert, make noise as you travel and secure attractants such as food, cooking equipment and trash away from sleeping areas.
- Open fires are prohibited. Use portable stoves or provided fire pits.
 Fire and travel restrictions may be enacted during periods of elevated wildfire danger.
- Advise someone where you are going, when you will return, emergency contacts, your vehicle type and license number.
- Respect all trail users. Follow directional signs.
- Trails are designated shared use in all seasons: hiking, mountain biking, cross-country skiing, skijoring and snowshoeing are permitted. ATV and snowmobile riding are prohibited.
- Hunting and trapping occurs in the park. Wearing high visibility clothing is recommended especially during fall and winter seasons. This is a multiple-use backcountry area where hunters, trappers and other users may be in the area.
- Keep dogs on leash and clean up after your pet.
- Cell service is limited. Satellite messaging devices are recommended.
- Practice Leave No Trace take only pictures, leave only footprints.